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SUBJECT: MBFR: PARA 29 STABILIZING MEASURES

REF: A) STATE 260090; B) USNATO 6510; C) STATE 251448

1. AT NOVEMBER 26 MEETING, WG DISCUSSED U.S. TEXT ON PARA 29 MEASURES (REF C) IN RESPONSE TO SPC REQUEST (REF B).

2. ACTING CHAIRMAN (SMITH) CIRCULATED BRIEF BACKGROUND PAPER THAT HIS STAFF HAD PREPARED SUPPORTING U.S. PROPOSAL. U.S. REP (MCCORMACK) DREW ON POINTS IN REF A IN FURTHER EXPLANATION OF U.S. FIGURES, UK REP (GEHARTY) COMMENTED ON IMPORTANCE FOR UK OF ROTATION AND TRAINING OF UK FORCES IN FRG AND EMPHASIZED THAT REQUIREMENTS FOR PHASE II EXCEPTIONS WOULD, OF COURSE, BE DIFFERENT THAN THOSE FOR PHASE I. CANADIAN REP (BECKETT) SAID HIS AUTHORITIES HAD ASKED FOR WG REVIEW OF U.S. PROPOSAL BECAUSE OF POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS FOR OTHER STATIONED FORCES. HE WAS SATISFIED WITH STAFF PAPER BUT BELIEVED WG SHOULD CONTINUE STUDIES ON STABILIZING MEASURES.

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3. WG AGREED ACTING CHAIRMAN COULD REPORT TO SPC THAT, IN LIGHT OF EARLIER STUDIES, WG FOUND U.S. PROPOSED FIGURES ACCEPTABLE AND DID NOT CONSIDER THEM PRECEDENT FOR PHASE II. MCAULIFFE

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